

PSYCHOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
JUNE 25, 2001

MEMBERS PRESENT: Barbara Van Horne, PHD; Mariellen Fischer, PHD; James Fico, PHD; Don Crowder, PHD; McArthur Weddle; B. Ann Neviaser

LEGAL COUNSEL: John Schweitzer

STAFF PRESENT: Kimberly Nania, Karen Rude-Evans

GUESTS: Sarah Bowen, WPA

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Barbara Van Horne called the meeting to order at 8:58 a.m.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: James Fico moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to approve the agenda as published. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF MAY 25, 2001

Correction: On page 4, under GERALD J NIEWOEHNER, correct the name in the motion.

MOTION: Don Crowder moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to approve the Minutes of May 25, 2001 as corrected. Motion carried unanimously.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSED STIPULATIONS

There were no stipulations.

REPORTS ON PENDING COURT CASES, DISCIPLINARY CASES AND
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

These reports were informational.

MONTHLY PRESS RELEASES/LIST OF DISCIPLINARY ORDERS

This item was informational.

DISCUSSION ON COMMISSION OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING LEADING TO
LICENSURE IN PSYCHOLOGY

Don Crowder presented a draft letter to Robert Walsh, APA Education Directorate.

REVIEW RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PPSP

The Board reviewed and discussed requirements for Private Practice School Psychologists. This topic will need further discussion.

UPDATE ON STATUTE CHANGES FOR PPSP

MOTION: Mariellen Fischer moved, seconded by James Fico, to combine the three pending requests for legislation into one request. Motion carried unanimously.

UPDATE ON EPPP

Barb Showers and Casey Brown spoke to the Board regarding the computerized administration of the EPPP. A total of 26 candidates took the exam, with all but three passing the exam.

ASPPB CONFERENCE

MOTION: McArthur Weddle moved, seconded by Ann Neviaser, to approve Kimberly Nania to attend the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) meeting to be held October 11-14, 2001 in Quebec City, Quebec, Canada. Motion carried unanimously.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to recess to closed session pursuant to Chapter 19.85(1)(a), (b), (f) and (g), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of conducting oral interviews, reviewing revised natures of intended practice, reviewing applications, reviewing requests to expand practice, reviewing a request for modifications to a board order, reviewing case status report and consulting with legal counsel. Roll call vote: Barbara Van Horne – yes, Mariellen Fischer – yes, James Fico – yes, Don Crowder – yes, McArthur Weddle – yes, Ann Neviaser – yes. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session recessed at 10:46 a.m.

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

MOTION: Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to reconvene in open session. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session reconvened at 4:06 p.m.

VOTING ON ITEMS CONSIDERED/DELIBERATED ON IN CLOSED SESSION

REVISED NATURE OF INTENDED PRACTICE

MOTION: Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by James Fico, to accept the revised nature of intended practice for **Christina Couch, Ph.D.**, and **Jody A. Gallaway, Ph.D.** Motion carried unanimously.

ORAL INTERVIEWS

MOTION: Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by James Fico, to grant licenses for the practice of psychology to **Marlene Bannen, Ph.D.**, **Christina Couch, Ph.D.**, **Jody Gallaway, Ph.D.**, **Michael Moller, Ph.D.**, **Gerald Niewoehner, Ph.D.** and **Constance Woythal, Psy.D.** Motion carried unanimously.

APPLICATION REVIEWS

RAQUEL DA CUNHA, PSY D

MOTION: Don Crowder moved, seconded by McArthur Weddle, to admit Raquel da Cunha, Psy.D., to the ethics exam and personal appearance. Dr. da Cunha must provide additional information regarding supervised practice in, or delete, family therapy and marital/conjoint therapy. Motion carried unanimously.

BONITA J DEBBAN, PHD

MOTION: McArthur Weddle moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to admit Bonita J. Debban, Ph.D., to the ethics exam and personal appearance. Dr. Debban must provide additional information regarding supervised practice in, or delete, eating disorders and group therapy. Motion carried unanimously.

MARY KAY FISHER, PSY D

MOTION: McArthur Weddle moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to admit Mary Kay Fisher, Psy.D., to the ethics exam and personal appearance. The Board will review the materials submitted by Dr. Fisher. Motion carried unanimously.

JAMES K GIESE, PHD

MOTION: McArthur Weddle moved, seconded by James Fico, to inform James K. Giese, Ph.D., that documentation of supervision and the area of supervision is needed. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: McArthur Weddle moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to have legal counsel write to the supervisor of James K. Giese, Ph.D., that supervision documentation must be completed and received. Motion carried unanimously.

PETER KOEHN, PHD

MOTION: McArthur Weddle moved, seconded by Con Crowder, to admit Peter Koehn, Ph.D., to the ethics exam and personal appearance, and to inform Dr. Koehn that he must talk to his supervisor, and provide a letter to the Board, regarding the dual relationship. Motion carried unanimously.

KAREN L LONDRE, PSY D

MOTION: James Fico moved, seconded by McArthur Weddle, to admit Karen L. Londre, Psy.D., to the ethics exam and personal appearance, and to inform Dr. Londre that her practice will be limited to college in a college setting unless she can provide documentation of adequate supervision with other populations and settings after completing her doctorate. Motion carried unanimously.

REBECCA L RAMIREZ, PHD

The review of the application of Rebecca L. Ramirez, Ph.D., was postponed to the next meeting to allow the Board members sufficient time to review all the materials.

JONATHON A SNIDER, PSY D

MOTION: James Fico moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to admit Jonathon A. Snider, Psy.D., to the ethics exam and personal appearance. Dr. Snider's supervisor did not attest to competency with children. Dr. Snider must submit documentation of adequate supervision with, or delete, children. Motion carried unanimously.

REQUESTS TO EXPAND PRACTICE

DANIELA JARAMILLO, PSY D

MOTION: Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by McArthur Weddle, to approve the request to expand practice of Daniela Jaramillo, Psy.D. Motion carried unanimously.

BETH A JOHNSON, PSY D

MOTION: Don Crowder moved, seconded by McArthur Weddle, to approve the request to expand practice of Beth A. Johnson, Psy.D. Motion carried unanimously.

REQUEST CHANGE IN BOARD ORDER

STEVEN SCHNEIDER, PHD

MOTION: Mariellen Fischer moved, seconded by McArthur Weddle, to inform Steven Schneider, Ph.D., that the Board will consider his request for a reduction in both therapy and screens when the information requested in the February 16, 2001 Order is received. Motion carried unanimously.

CASE STATUS REPORT

There were no cases to close.

CORRESPONDENCE AND INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

These items were noted by the Board.

SCHEDULE 2002 MEETING DATES

The 2002 Board meeting dates were scheduled for January 23, February 27, March 27, April 17, May 22, June 26, July 31, September 11, October 9, November 13 and December 6.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

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